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Col. Stanley Grogan
Deputy Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Col. Grogan:

Attached is the article about which we talked a couple of weeks ago. We would welcome any statement you wish to make.

We would not need to use direct attribution. We plan to rely on such devices as "Denver Post sources", etc.

The story is scheduled for publication Sunday. Should you have some printable reaction to the article, I would greatly appreciate your calling me as soon as a decision has been made. In that way I will know what to expect and hold for the material. Should you see fit to give me the reaction per telephone I'll be ready to take the information. Should the policy be "no comment", I'll know to go ahead without further ado. My number is MAin 3-2121 (Ext. 487).

Let me repeat that this is no attempt to back CIA into a corner with a series of critical charges. The reporter has proven accurate in the past, but we feel that in this case the agency being attacked should be offered an opportunity to reply, if even on a non-attributable basis.

Should you have occasion to see him, please give my regards to [redacted] whom I have had the pleasure of meeting.

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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Dorsey W. Woodson

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